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along the seashore. When I stood with my back to the Black Sea, I could see only one building on the horizon. It looked like a church or Mosque or a power station.

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the bearings of the gun and sighting device were set on that building. the building was five kilometers away. However, inasmuch as the terrain there is a steppe, flat as a table top, the distance could have been over ten kilometers.

5. I recall that the firing range our sighting devices (packed in five cases), a 3" antiaircraft gun, a range finder, and an altitude gauge were already there.

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The range finder consisted of a horizontal tube on a tripod, one and a half to two meters long, equipped with telescopes at both ends and an eyepiece at the center. Through the eyepiece a person could see vertical marks. When the range finder was aimed at a required spot, the marks had to coincide so that they were superimposed. This was arrived at by turning a small wheel or button on the tube.

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the gun was a 3" antiaircraft gun of World War I vintage. There were no other apparatus or installations at the firing range at that time. To the best of my knowledge the firing range was directly subordinate to the Administration of War equipment in Moscow.

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Legend to Sketch 1 [See Enclosure (A)]

1. Detachable "Mel'khior" [German silver] sections with scales.
2. Steel section.
3. Bevel gear shaft.
4. Scale.
5. Scale for direction carriage.
6. Telescopes-one with a vertical line, the other with a horizontal line.

Legend to Sketch 2 [See Enclosure (A)]

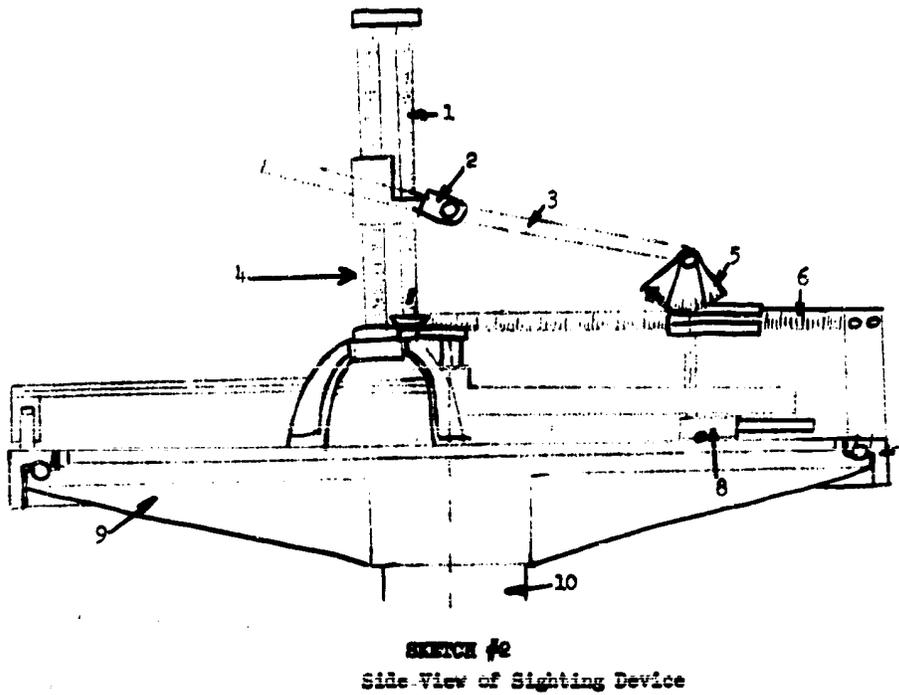
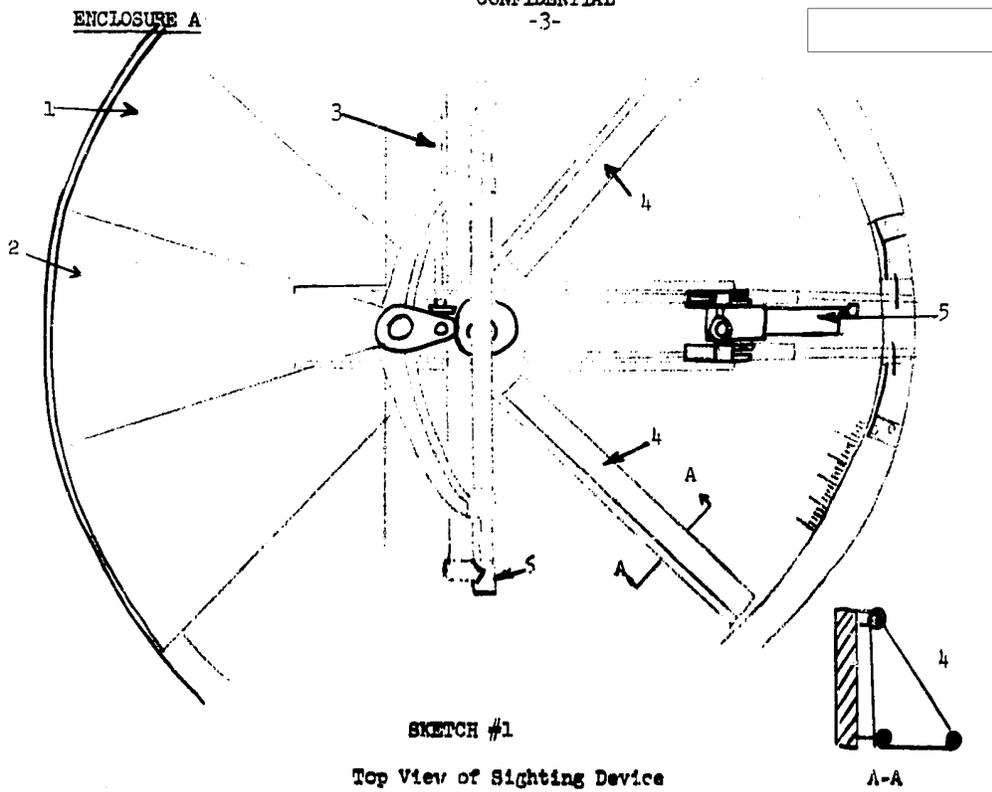
1. Screw.
2. Telescopes - one with a vertical line, the other with a horizontal line.
3. Slanting rule.
4. Altitude scale.
5. Sector of the angle of elevation.
6. Horizontal rule with fractions.
7. Rotating ring.
8. Stationary aluminum disk with 1200 fractions.
9. Steel disk.
10. Tripod stand.

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ENCLOSURE A: Sketch 1, Top view of sighting device.  
Sketch 2, Side view of sighting device.

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